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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

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(1) MARGIE M. ROBINSON,	)	
as the Personal	)	
Representative of the	)	
Estate of Christina Dawn	)	
Tahhahwah, Deceased,	)	No. CIV-16-869-F
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
-vs-	)	
	)	
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(1) THE CITY OF LAWTON,	)	
OKLAHOMA, et al.	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

DEPOSITION OF STACEY McMILLION  
TAKEN ON JULY 5, 2018  
ON BEHALF OF THE PLAINTIFF  
IN LAWTON, OKLAHOMA  
COMMENCING AT 9:22 A.M.

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1 Q. I understand.

2 A. They were just talking. There wasn't  
3 any sign of any problem.

4 Q. Was Christina sitting up straight?

5 A. She was sitting up against the bars.

6 Q. Do you recall if she was leaned  
7 forward?

8 A. No, she was not, because I can remember  
9 seeing her just sitting back.

10 Q. Do you think that she was scooted out,  
11 in other words her bottom had scooted out from  
12 the --

13 A. When I did a check?

14 Q. Yes, ma'am.

15 A. No, I don't recall that. I don't  
16 believe so.

17 Q. Do you remember checking for that?

18 A. Not at that point, no.

19 Q. Were you concerned that she might scoot  
20 herself away from the bars?

21 A. No.

22 Q. That never crossed your mind?

23 A. No.

24 Q. So you did your inspection, you looked,  
25 and then you had to do a civilian fingerprint,

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1       were still cuffed at ear level, and she was kind  
2       of just scooted out a little bit, but her back  
3       was up against it, but it wasn't very far, but  
4       her head was just kind of nodded down, like if  
5       you had fallen asleep.

6       Q.       Where were her legs?

7       A.       Out in front of her.

8       Q.       So her legs were straight out --

9       A.       They were straight out, yes.

10      Q.       Straight out in front of her, and her  
11      bottom is kind of scooted out --

12      A.       But not very much, just enough to --

13      Q.       Scooted out a little from the bars of  
14      the cell?

15      A.       Right.

16      Q.       And she was kind of slumped over, her  
17      head was?

18      A.       No, she was not slumped over. She was  
19      -- she was -- had her shoulders up against the  
20      bars, but her head was nodded down.

21      Q.       Okay. Whenever -- who was the other  
22      officer that was there?

23      A.       Lieutenant Sellers.

24      Q.       Sellers --

25      A.       And Stewart.